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PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Dear Sir:

Please enter this amendment prior to calculation of the filing fees. This amendment is based on the translation of the application **as amended on May 16, 2001.**

IN THE SPECIFICATION:

On page 1, insert as a title prior to the first paragraph --
A1 BACKGROUND OF THE INVENTION --.

On page 5, insert as a title prior to the third paragraph --
A2 SUMMARY OF THE INVENTION --.

On page 16 insert as a title prior to the brief description of the drawings -- **A3** BRIEF DESCRIPTION OF THE DRAWING --

On page 16, replace the brief description of Fig. 5 a and 5 b as follows: --